BEAR VIEWING

ADMIRALTY ISLAND NATIONAL MONUMENT: PACK CREEK BROWN BEAR VIEWING AREA/ STAN PRICE STATE GAME SANCTUARY

Tongass National Forest, Juneau Ranger District 8465 Old Dairy Road; Juneau, AK 99801 Phone: (907) 586-8800; Email: htullis@fs.fed.us www.fs.fed.us/r10/tongass/districts/admiralty/packweb/packhome.html

Alaska Department of Fish and Game; Division of Wildlife Conservation P.O. Box 240020; Douglas, AK 99824-0020 Phone: (907) 465-4265; Email: anne post@fishgame.state.ak.us www.state.ak.us/local/akpages/FISH.GAME/wildlife/region1/refuge1/pacreek.htm

ANAN CREEK WILDLIFE VIEWING AREA

Tongass National Forest, Wrangell Ranger District P.O. Box 51; Wrangell, AK 99929; Phone: (907) 874~2323 Email: dgalla@fs.fed.us www.fs.fed.us/r10/naturewatch/southeast/anan/anan.htm

CHILKOOT RIVER STATE RECREATION SITE

Alaska Department of Natural Resources Haines Ranger Station; PO Box 430; Haines, AK 99827; Phone: (907) 766-2292; Email: joel_telford@dnr.state.ak.us www.dnr.state.ak.us/parks/units/haines.htm#chilkoot

DENALI NATIONAL PARK: PARK ROAD

National Park Service; P.O. Box 9; Denali Park, AK 99755 Phone: 907-683-2294; Email: denali info@nps.gov www.nps.gov/dena/index.htm

KATMAI NATIONAL PARK AND PRESERVE: BROOKS RIVER, MULTIPLE COASTAL AND INLAND SITES

National Park Service; P.O. Box 7; King Salmon, AK 99613;

Phone: (907) 246~3305

Email: katm_visitor_information@nps.gov; www.nps.gov/katm/index.htm

KODIAK ISLAND: FRAZER LAKE (DOG SALMON CREEK), KARLUK LAKE, UYAK BAY

U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Kodiak National Wildlife Refuge 1390 Buskin River Road; Kodiak, Alaska 99615; Phone: (907) 487-2600 Email: kodiak@fws.gov; www.r7.fws.gov/nwr/kodiak/index.html

LAKE CLARK NATIONAL PARK: CHINITNA BAY, TUXEDNI BAY, SILVER SALMON LAKES

National Park Service; 1 Park Place; Port Alsworth, AK 99653; Phone: (907) 781-2218; Email: LACL Visitor Information@nps.gov www.nps.gov/lacl/index.htm

McNeil River State Game Sanctuary

Alaska Department of Fish & Game; Division of Wildlife Conservation 333 Raspberry Road; Anchorage, AK 99518-1599 Phone: (907) 267-2182; Email: mcneilinfo@fishgame.state.ak.us www.wc.adfg.state.ak.us/mcneil/index.cfm

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MISTY FJORDS NATIONAL MONUMENT: FISH CREEK BEAR VIEWING AREA (NEAR HYDER, AK)

Tongass National Forest; Kechikan-Misty Fjords Ranger District; Southeast Alaska Discovery Center; 50 Main Street; Ketchikan, AK 99901-6559 Phone: (907) 228-6220 (Ketchikan office) or (250) 636-2367 (Hyder Ranger Station) Email: r10_ketchikan_Alaska_Info@fs.fed.us www.fs.fed.us/r10/tongass/districts/discoverycenter/index.html

REDOUBT BAY CRITICAL HABITAT AREA: WOLVERINE CREEK

Alaska Department of Fish and Game; Division of Wildlife Conservation 333 Raspberry Road; Anchorage, AK 99518 Phone: (907) 267-2182; Email: susan_rose@fishgame.state.ak.us www.state.ak.us/local/akpages/FISH.GAME/wildlife/region2/refuge2/redoubt.htm

OTHER SITES: Bears are found throughout Alaska, particularly along streams with spawning salmon. Many local guides and tour operators offer wildlife viewing opportunities at various sites. These undeveloped viewing sites include (but are certainly not limited to): the Copper River, Simpson Bay and Bear Trap Bay near Cordova; and Margaret Creek near Ketchikan.

Polar Bear Viewing: Barrow and Kaktovik

City of Barrow: PO Box 629; Barrow, AK 99723. Phone (907) 852-5211. **City of Kaktovik**: PO Box 27; Kaktovik, AK 99747. Phone (907) 640-6313; www.kaktovik.com.

Alaska tourism contacts

ALASKA STATE OFFICE OF TOURISM

550 West 7th Avenue, Suite 1770; Anchorage, AK 99501-3510 Phone: (907) 269-8110; www.dced.state.ak.us/tourism

ALASKA PUBLIC LANDS INFORMATION CENTER

605 W 4th Avenue; Anchorage, AK 99501; Phone: (907) 271-2737 Email: Chris_Smith@nps.gov; www.nps.gov/aplic For a four-page **Bear Viewing in Alaska** brochure, visit the Lands Information Center at www.nps.gov/aplic/bearviewing.pdf

ALASKA TRAVEL INDUSTRY ASSOCIATION

2600 Cordova Street, Ste. 201; Anchorage, AK 99503; Phone: (907) 929-2842 Email: info@alaskatia.org; www.travelalaska.com

ALASKA WILDERNESS RECREATION AND TOURISM ASSOCIATION

2207 Spenard Road, Suite 201; Anchorage, Alaska 99503; Phone: (907) 258-3171; Email: info@awrta.org; www.awrta.org/plantrip.cfm

HELPFUL HINGS & OTHER INFORMATION

ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME: Additional information on wildlife viewing in Alaska including how to order the **Alaska Wildlife Viewing Guide** (a 96-page softcover guide featuring 68 of the best places in Alaska to view wildlife), visit www.state.ak.us/local/akpages/FISH.GAME/wildlife/geninfo/viewing/intro.htm or contact the ADF&G at the phone number/address listed for the McNeil River Sanctuary.

ALASKA NATURAL HISTORY ASSOCIATION: Books, maps and other information useful for planning trips to Alaska. 750 West Second Avenue, Suite 100; Anchorage, Alaska 99501-2167; Phone: (907) 274-8440; www.alaskanha.org





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